## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	T. Daniel Gross	)
		)
Serial No.:	10/027,681	) ) Art Unit ) 3734
Filed:	December 21, 2001	)
Conf. No.:	2036	)
For:	SUTURE TRIMMER	)
Examiner:	Diane D. Yabut	)
Customer No.:	057360	)

## **TRANSMITTAL**

VIA E-FILE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is Amendment and Reply to Office Action for entry in the above-identified application.

- X Timely filed enclosed are the following: Amendment and Reply (4 pages)
- $\underline{X}$  No other additional fee is required.

- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
  - X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
  - $\underline{X}$  Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

/Fraser D. Roy, Reg.# 45666/ FRASER D. ROY Registration No. 45,666 Attorney for Applicant Customer No. 057360

FDR:al AL0000000806V001